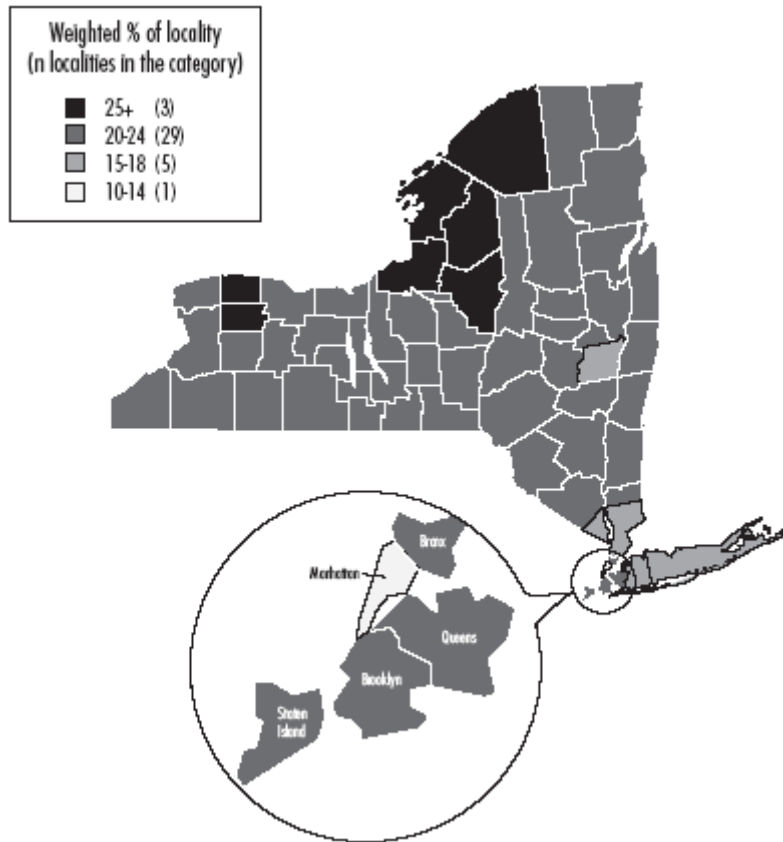




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## Obesity among New York adults by locality



**Sources:** NYS, BRFSS 2003, age-adjusted to the 2000 U.S. population, based on self-reported height and weight. US- NHANES, 1999-2002, J Am Med Assn 2004;291:2847-2850.

Prevalence rates are lowest in the borough of Manhattan, in New York City (10% to 14%) and highest (25% or higher) in Orleans, Genesee, St. Lawrence, Jefferson, Lewis, Oswego, and Oneida counties of upstate NY.